



DEBRA BOWEN

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Secretary of State's Office to Conduct Randomized Alphabet Drawing for Senate District 16 Special Election

WHAT:

Secretary of State Debra Bowen's office will hold a randomized alphabet drawing to determine the order in which candidates' names will appear on the May 21 special primary election ballots and, if necessary, the July 23 special run-off election ballots in the 16th Senate District.

The Senate District 16 special election is being held to fill the vacancy left by Michael Rubio, who resigned after accepting a job in the private sector.

The candidate filing deadline for this contest is March 29.

WHEN:

Tuesday, April 2, 2013
11:00 a.m.

WHERE:

Secretary of State's Office
Elections Division, 5th Floor
1500 11th Street
Sacramento

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